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On January 26, 2009, this Court held a status conference and directed counsel to file any pre-trial motions necessary. Plaintiffs have prepared a pre-trial motion and memorandum in support to resolve evidentiary issues and to quash trial subpoenas issued by Global Defendants. This motion may not be scheduled in time to be heard prior to trial on the regular motion calendar and request that the Court grant a hearing on this matter on the morning of trial, Monday, February 9, 2009 pursuant to LR 7.1(h)(6).

Immediately following the hearing, counsel for Plaintiffs requested counsel for Defendants respond today and provide counsel for Plaintiffs with their available dates for the next two weeks so this hearing could be scheduled prior to trial. *Isley Decl.* ¶ 2. Only counsel for Grower Defendants, Brendan Monahan, provided available dates. Id. ¶ 3. Accordingly, because Plaintiffs did not want to delay filing this motion, and have no other available dates from Defendants, Plaintiffs have requested that this matter be heard on the morning of trial since all counsel will be available at that time.

DATED this 26th day of January, 2009.

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